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FOR PREPARING SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

The following Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 3

a' Line 1, before "9-Chlorocarbonyloxy" insert -camptothe-
cin derivatives according to b claim 1, which are--

Claim 4

a² Line 1, before "10-Chlorocarbonyloxy" insert -camptothe-
cin derivatives according to b claim 1, which are--

Claim 5

a³ Line 1, before "11-Chlorocarbonyloxy" insert -camptothe-
cin derivatives according to b claim 1, which are--

Claim 6

a⁴ Line 1, before "9-[N-R⁸-N-(R⁸R⁹amino)C₁₋₄alkyl]" insert
--camptothecin derivatives according to claim 1, which are--